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In re application of:

BUNSMANN, Winfried

Appl. No. 10/573,690

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For: MOTOR VEHICLE WITH A HATCHBACK

AND OPENING ROOF PART

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Examiner: Pedder, Dennis H.

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Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop: <u>Amendment</u> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 10, 2008**, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

A Petition for Extension of Time to extend the date for response to October 10, 2008 is being filed concurrently herewith. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038 referencing docket number 07130.0008.PCUS00.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 4 of this paper.